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Invention:

Medical Assembly With Transducer For Local Delivery Of A Therapeutic Substance And Method Of Using Same

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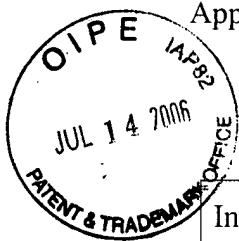
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